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The Windsor Star.
Attention: Marty Beneteau
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December 16, 2016
by email and mail

Re: Windsor Star Awarded Media Award

Dear Marty Beneteau,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of Vaccine Choice Canada, I am writing to inform you The Windsor Star has been awarded our 2016 media award. The award titled 'Adding Insult to Injury' recognizes media entities that continue to disseminate deceptive, distorted and dishonest information pertaining to the topic of vaccinations in Canada.

The Windsor Star earned the award as a result of its misrepresentation of the legal status of vaccinations in Canada in its September 2, 2016 article, *Kids born in 2008 face school suspension if they don't have proof of vaccinations*, and its unwillingness to correct the misrepresentations even when provided with accurate government supported documentation confirming there are no required or mandated vaccinations in Canada.

These efforts by the Windsor Star are a disservice to all Canadians. They undermine the rights and freedoms guaranteed by the Charter of Rights and Freedoms, erode the medical ethic of informed consent, and add insult to injury to the many Canadians injured by vaccines.

A hard copy of the award will be mailed to you and award winners will be posted on the Vaccine Choice Canada website.

Sincerely,

Edda West, President of Vaccine Choice Canada

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